

of King; the election and appointment of judges therein, and declaring an emergency," have had the same under consideration, and we respectfully report the same back to the House with the recommendation that it do pass with the following amendments:

Amend section 1. In line 1 of both the printed bill and the original bill, strike the word "ten" and substitute the word "nine."

Amend section 2. In line 1 of the printed bill, being line 2 of the original bill, strike the word "three" and substitute the word "two."

Amend section 3. In line 1 of the printed bill, being line 2 of the original bill, strike the word "ten" and substitute the word "nine." In line 4 of the printed bill, being line 5 of the original bill, strike the word "ten" and substitute the word "nine."

EDGAR J. WRIGHT, *Chairman*.

We concur in this report: H. W. Holmes, J. W. Faulkner, F. W. Hastings, Elmer E. Halsey, F. A. Garrecht.

The bill was read the second time in full by sections.

On motion of Mr. Wright, the amendments contained in the report were adopted.

Mr. Buchanan (R. E.), moved that the consideration of this bill be postponed until all other similar bills were considered by the House.

Mr. Bird moved as a substitute motion that the House consider all judgeship bills in the order they appear upon the calendar.

The substitute motion was carried.

The bill was passed to third reading and ordered engrossed.

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES,

OLYMPIA, WASH., February 8, 1911.

MR. SPEAKER:

We, a majority of your committee on constitutional revision, to whom was referred House bill No. 153, entitled "An act to amend section 1 of article II of the constitution of the State of Washington, providing for the initiative and referendum, and striking section 31 of said article II, relating to the time when laws take effect," have had the same under consideration, and we respectfully report the same back to the House with the recommendation that it do pass with the following amendments:

In article II, section 1, line 8 of the printed bill, being line 5 of the original bill, strike the comma (,) after the word "bills" and insert the word "or."

In article II, section 1, line 9 of the printed bill, being line 5 of the original bill, strike the comma (,) after the word "laws" and insert the words, "to the legislature for its consideration at the first regular



session after the bill or law has been proposed," and strike out all of the words after the word "laws" in lines 9, 10 and 11 of the printed bill, being all of the words in lines 5, 6, 7, 8 and 9 of the original bill after the word "laws" in line 5 of the original bill.

In article II, section 1, subdivision (a) line 12 of the printed bill, being line 2 of the original bill, strike out the word "eight" and insert the word "twelve."

In article II, section 1, subdivision (a), lines 15 and 16 of the printed bill, being lines 5, 6 and 7 of the original bill, strike out the words "not less than four months before the election at which they are to be voted upon, or."

In article II, section 1, subdivision (a), in lines 17 and 18 of the printed bill, being lines 8, 9 and 10 of the original bill, strike out the words "if filed at least four months before the election at which they are to be voted upon, he shall submit the same to the vote of the people at the said election."

In article II, section 1, subdivision (a), in lines 20 and 21 of the printed bill, being lines 13 and 14 of the original bill, strike out the words "take precedence over all other measures in the legislature except appropriation bills and shall."

In article II, section 1, subdivision (a), in lines 23, 24 and 25 of the printed bill, being lines 16, 17, 18 and 19 of the original bill, strike out the words "If any such initiative measure shall be enacted by the legislature it shall be subject to the referendum petition, or it may be enacted and referred by the legislature to the people for approval or rejection at the next regular election."

In article II, section 1, subdivision (a), in lines 27 to 36 inclusive of the printed bill, being lines 22 to 35 inclusive of the original bill, strike out all the words beginning with the words "the legislature may reject any and," etc., and ending in line 36 with the words "shall be law."

In article II, section 1, subdivision (b), in line 39 of the printed bill, being line 3 of the original bill, strike out the word "immediate."

In article II, section 1, subdivision (b), in lines 41 and 42 of the printed bill, being lines 5 and 6 of the original bill, strike out the word "five" in line 41 and insert the word "one" and strike out the word "thirty" in line 42 and insert the word "ten."

In article II, section 1, subdivision (c), in lines 45, 46 and 47 of the printed bill, being lines 3, 4 and 5 of the original bill, strike out the words "No act, law, or bill approved by a majority of the electors voting thereon shall be amended or repealed by the legislature within a period of four years following such enactment."

In article II, section 1, subdivision (c), in lines 47 and 48 of the printed bill, being lines 5, 6 and 7 of the original bill, strike out the words "but such enactment may be amended or repealed at any general regular or special election by direct vote of the people thereon."

In article II, section 1, subdivision (d), in lines 49 and 50 of the

printed bill, being lines 1 and 2 of the original bill, strike out the words "The filing of a referendum petition against one or more items, sections or parts of any act, law or bill shall not delay the remainder of the measure from becoming operative."

In article II, section 1, subdivision (d), in line 54 of the printed bill, being line 6 of the original bill, strike out the words "initiated by or;" also in line 55 of printed bill, being line 9 of the original bill, strike out the word "biennial." In lines 55 and 56 of the printed bill, being lines 10 and 11 of the original bill, strike out the words "except when the legislature shall order a special election."

In line 56 of the printed bill, being line 11 of the original bill, strike out the words "initiated by the people or."

In article II, section 1, subdivision (d), in line 58 of the printed bill, being line 14 of the original bill, strike out the word "thirtieth" and insert the word "ninetieth."

In lines 59 and 60 of the printed bill, being lines 15, 16 and 17 of the original bill, strike out the words "The style of all bills proposed by initiative petition shall be: 'Be it enacted by the people of the State of Washington'."

In lines 64, 65 and 66 of the printed bill, being lines 22, 23, 24 and 25 of the original bill, strike out the words "All such petitions shall be filed with the secretary of state, who shall be guided by the general laws in submitting the same to the people until additional legislation shall especially provide therefor."

In lines 66 and 67 of the printed bill, being lines 25 and 26 of the original bill, strike out the words "This section is self-executing, but legislation may be enacted especially to facilitate its operation."

In lines 68 and 69 of the printed bill, being line 28 of the original bill, strike out the words "and amendments to the constitution."

In lines 69 and 70 of the printed bill, being line 29 of the original bill, strike out the words "and amendments so referred."

PHIL S. LOCKE, *Chairman*.

We concur in this report: E. A. Sims, H. E. Foster, J. G. Megler, E. E. Fisher.

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MR. SPEAKER:

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We concur in this report: Geo. L. Denman, O. M. Haroldson, J. E. Campbell.



The bill was read the second time in full by sections.

Mr. Sims moved the adoption of the committee amendment to line 8, section 1 of the printed bill, being line 12 of the original bill.

Roll call was demanded and the motion to adopt the amendment was lost by the following vote: Yeas, 26; nays, 61; absent or not voting, 9.

Those voting yea were: Messrs. Beach, Byerly, Cameron, Carlyon, Conner, Drissler, Foster, Ghent, Groff, Hastings, Leonard, Locke, Martin, McArdle, McKenna, McMillan, Megler, Mess, Minard, Sims, Smith, Stephens (W. E.), Tonkin, Twitchell, Webster, Mr. Speaker—26.

Those voting nay were: Messrs. Alexander, Atkinson, Bird, Boyle, Buchanan (H. D.), Buchanan (R. E.), Campbell, Chamberlin, Christensen (W. P.), Christensen (Walter T.), Deming, Denman, Dow, Farnsworth, Faulkner, Fontaine, French, Frits, Gandy, Garrecht, Gillett, Halsey, Haroldson, Hoff, Holmes, Hornibrook, Horrigan, Hubbell, Jamieson, Johnson, Jones, Kelly, Kennedy, Larue, Laube, LeSourd, McClure, McLean, McNeely, McQuesten, Miller (J. A.), Moody, Moren, Phipps, Rich, Rudene, Scales, Shutt, Stevens (A. M.), Spedden, Stone, Straub, Teats, Thompson, Todd, Vollmer, Ward, Wooldridge, Wray, Wright, Zednick—61.

Those absent or not voting were: Messrs. Appleman, Davis, Dickson, Ennis, Eshleman, Fisher, Goss, McCoy, Miller (Clyde)—9.

Mr. Denman moved that the minority report be adopted.

Roll call was demanded, and the motion to adopt the minority report was carried by the following vote: Yeas, 49; nays, 42; absent or not voting, 5.

Those voting yea were: Messrs. Alexander, Appleman, Atkinson, Boyle, Buchanan (H. D.), Buchanan (R. E.), Campbell, Chamberlin, Christensen (W. P.), Christensen (Walter T.), Deming, Denman, Dow, Farnsworth, Faulkner, Fontaine, French, Frits, Garrecht, Gillett, Halsey, Haroldson, Holmes, Horrigan, Hubbell, Jamieson, Johnson, Kelly, Larue,

Laube, LeSourd, McClure, McKenna, McQuesten, Moren, Phipps, Rudene, Shutt, Stevens (A. M.), Spedden, Stone, Straub, Teats, Todd, Vollmer, Wooldridge, Wright, Zednick—49.

Those voting nay were: Messrs. Beach, Bird, Byerly, Cameron, Carlyon, Conner, Davis, Dickson, Drissler, Fisher, Foster, Gandy, Ghent, Groff, Hastings, Hornibrook, Jones, Kennedy, Leonard, Locke, Martin, McArdle, McLean, McMillan, McNeely, Megler, Mess, Miller (J. A.), Minard, Moody, Rich, Scales, Sims, Smith, Stephens (W. E.), Thompson, Tonkin, Twitchell, Ward, Webster, Wray, Mr. Speaker—42.

Those absent or not voting were: Messrs. Ennis, Eshleman, Goss, McCoy, Miller (Clyde)—5.

Mr. Ghent moved to amend section 1, line 12 of the bill by striking the word "eight" and substituting therefor the word "fifteen."

The amendment was lost.

Mr. Wray moved to amend the bill by striking the word "eight" in section 1, line 12, and substituting therefor the word "twelve."

The amendment was lost.

Mr. Foster moved to amend the bill by striking the words "take precedence over all other measures in the legislature except appropriation bills and shall," in lines 20 and 21 of section 1 of the printed bill.

The amendment was lost.

Mr. Bird moved to amend subdivision "c" of the bill by striking the word "our" in line 46, section 1 of the printed bill, and substituting therefor the word "two."

Roll call was demanded and the amendment was lost by the following vote: Yeas, 44; nays, 46; absent or not voting, 6.

Those voting yea were: Messrs. Beach, Bird, Byerly, Cameron, Carlyon, Conner, Davis, Dickson, Drissler, Fisher, Fontaine, Foster, Gandy, Ghent, Groff, Hastings, Hornibrook, Hubbell, Jones, Leonard, Locke, Martin, McArdle, McKenna, McLean, McMillan, McNeely, Megler, Mess, Minard, Moody, Shutt,



Sims, Smith, Stephens (W. E.), Thompson, Tonkin, Twitchell, Ward, Webster, Wray, Wright, Zednick, Mr. Speaker—44.

Those voting nay were: Messrs. Alexander, Appleman, Atkinson, Boyle, Buchanan (H. D.), Buchanan (R. E.), Campbell, Chamberlin, Christensen (W. P.), Christensen (Walter T.), Deming, Denman, Dow, Farnsworth, Faulkner, French, Frits, Garrecht, Gillett, Halsey, Haroldson, Hoff, Holmes, Horrigan, Jamieson, Johnson, Kelly, Kennedy, Larue, Laube, LeSourd, McClure, McQuesten, Miller (J. A.), Moren, Phipps, Rudene, Scales, Stevens (A. M.), Spedden, Stone, Straub, Teats, Todd, Vollmer, Wooldridge—46.

Those absent or not voting were: Messrs. Ennis, Eshleman, Goss, McCoy, Miller (Clyde), Rich—6.

Mr. Denman moved to amend subdivision "b" of section 1 of the original bill by striking the word "eight" in line 12 thereof, and substituting therefor the word "five."

Roll call was demanded and the amendment was adopted by the following vote: Yeas, 56; nays, 31; absent or not voting, 9.

Those voting yea were: Messrs. Alexander, Appleman, Atkinson, Bird, Boyle, Buchanan (H. D.), Buchanan (R. E.), Campbell, Chamberlin, Christensen (W. P.), Christensen (Walter T.), Conner, Davis, Deming, Denman, Dickson, Dow, Farnsworth, Faulkner, French, Frits, Garrecht, Gillett, Halsey, Haroldson, Hoff, Holmes, Hornibrook, Horrigan, Hubbell, Jamieson, Johnson, Kelly, Larue, Laube, Leonard, LeSourd, McClure, McKenna, McNeely, McQuesten, Miller (J. A.), Moren, Phipps, Rich, Rudene, Scales, Stevens (A. M.), Spedden, Stone, Teats, Todd, Vollmer, Wooldridge, Wright, Zednick—56.

Those voting nay were: Messrs. Beach, Byerly, Cameron, Carlyon, Drissler, Fisher, Fontaine, Foster, Gandy, Ghent, Groff, Jones, Locke, Martin, McArdle, McMillan, Mess, Minard, Moody, Shutt, Sims, Smith, Stephens (W. E.), Straub, Thompson, Tonkin, Twitchell, Ward, Webster, Wray, Mr. Speaker—31.

Those absent or not voting were: Messrs. Ennis, Eshleman, Goss, Hastings, Kennedy, McCoy, McLean, Megler, Miller (Clyde)—9.

Mr. Beach moved to amend section 1, line 12, of the bill by striking the word "eight" and inserting therefor the word "five."

The amendment was lost.

Mr. Sims moved to amend subdivision "d" of section 1 of the bill by striking the word "thirtieth" in line 58, and substituting therefor the word "ninetieth."

Roll call was demanded and the amendment was lost by the following vote: Yeas, 36; nays, 52; absent or not voting, 8.

Those voting yea were: Messrs. Beach, Byerly, Carlyon, Conner, Dickson, Drissler, Fisher, Fontaine, Foster, Gandy, Ghent, Groff, Hornibrook, Leonard, Locke, Martin, McArdle, McKenna, McLean, McMillan, Megler, Mess, Minard, Moody, Scales, Sims, Smith, Stephens (W. E.), Straub, Tonkin, Twitchell, Ward, Webster, Wray, Wright, Mr. Speaker—36.

Those voting nay were: Messrs. Alexander, Appleman, Atkinson, Bird, Boyle, Buchanan (H. D.), Buchanan (R. E.), Campbell, Chamberlin, Christensen (W. P.), Christensen (Walter T.), Davis, Deming, Denman, Dow, Farnsworth, Faulkner, French, Frits, Garrecht, Gillett, Halsey, Haroldson, Hoff, Holmes, Horrigan, Hubbell, Jamieson, Johnson, Jones, Kelly, Kennedy, Larue, Laube, LeSourd, McClure, McNeely, McQuesten, Miller (J. A.), Phipps, Rich, Rudene, Shutt, Stevens (A. M.), Spedden, Stone, Teats, Thompson, Todd, Vollmer, Wooldridge, Zednick—52.

Those absent or not voting were: Messrs. Cameron, Ennis, Eshleman, Goss, Hastings, McCoy, Miller (Clyde), Moren—8.

Mr. Foster moved to amend subdivision "d," line 58 of the printed bill by striking the word "thirtieth" and substituting therefor the word "sixtieth."

The amendment was lost.

Mr. Sims moved to amend subdivision "d," of the bill by



striking the word "election" in line 58, and inserting in lieu thereof the words "vote has been officially announced."

The amendment was lost.

Mr. Foster moved to amend subdivision "d" of the bill by striking all that sentence commencing with the words "The veto" in line 53 of the bill.

The amendment was lost.

Mr. Denman moved that the rules be suspended, that the second reading be considered the third, and the bill placed on final passage.

Roll call was demanded and the motion to suspend the rules was carried by the following vote: Yeas, 67; nays, 22; absent or not voting, 7.

Those voting yea were: Messrs. Alexander, Appleman, Atkinson, Bird, Boyle, Buchanan (H. D.), Buchanan (R. E.), Campbell, Chamberlin, Christensen (W. P.), Christensen (Walter T.), Conner, Davis, Deming, Denman, Dickson, Dow, Farnsworth, Faulkner, Fisher, Fontaine, French, Frits, Gandy, Garrecht, Gillett, Halsey, Haroldson, Hastings, Hoff, Holmes, Hornibrook, Horrigan, Hubbell, Jamieson, Johnson, Kelly, Kennedy, Larue, Laube, Leonard, LeSourd, Locke, McClure, McKenna, McLean, McNeely, McQuesten, Miller (J. A.), Moren, Phipps, Rich, Rudene, Scales, Shutt, Smith, Stevens (A. M.), Spedden, Stone, Teats, Thompson, Todd, Vollmer, Ward, Wooldridge, Wright, Zednick—67.

Those voting nay were: Messrs. Beach, Byerly, Cameron, Carlyon, Drissler, Foster, Ghent, Groff, Martin, McMillan, Megler, Mess, Minard, Moody, Sims, Stephens (W. E.), Straub, Tonkin, Twitchell, Webster, Wray, Mr. Speaker—22.

Those absent or not voting were: Messrs. Ennis, Eshleman, Goss, Jones, McArdle, McCoy, Miller (Clyde)—7.

The bill was placed on final passage.

A call of the House was demanded, and roll call showed all members present except Messrs. Ennis, Eshleman, Goss, McCoy, Miller (Clyde), all of whom were excused.

On motion of Mr. French, further proceedings under the call of the House were dispensed with.

The bill passed the House by the following vote: Yeas, 79; nays, 12; absent or not voting, 5.

Those voting yea were: Messrs. Alexander, Appleman, Atkinson, Bird, Boyle, Buchanan (H. D.), Buchanan (R. E.), Cameron, Campbell, Carlyon, Chamberlin, Christensen (W. P.), Christensen (Walter T.), Conner, Davis, Deming, Denman, Dickson, Dow, Farnsworth, Faulkner, Fisher, Fontaine, French, Frits, Gandy, Garrecht, Gillett, Halsey, Haroldson, Hastings, Hoff, Holmes, Hornibrook, Horrigan, Hubbell, Jamieson, Johnson, Jones, Kelly, Kennedy, Larue, Laube, Leonard, LeSourd, Locke, McClure, McKenna, McLean, McNeely, McQuesten, Megler, Mess, Miller (J. A.), Minard, Moody, Moren, Phipps, Rich, Rudene, Scales, Shutt, Smith, Stevens (A. M.), Spedden, Stone, Straub, Teats, Thompson, Todd, Tonkin, Twitchell, Vollmer, Ward, Wooldridge, Wray, Wright, Zednick, Mr. Speaker—79.

Those voting nay were: Messrs. Beach, Byerly, Drissler, Foster, Ghent, Groff, Martin, McArdle, McMillan, Sims, Stephens (W. E.), Webster—12.

Those absent or not voting were: Messrs. Ennis, Eshleman, Goss, McCoy, Miller (Clyde)—5.

There being no objections, the title of the bill was ordered to stand as the title of the act.

On motion of Mr. Sims, the rules were suspended, and the chief clerk was instructed to immediately transmit House bill No. 153 to the Senate.

On motion of Mr. Carlyon, the House adjourned.

LOREN GRINSTEAD,

Chief Clerk.

HOWARD D. TAYLOR,

Speaker.